UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

C.A. No. 96-10804-DPW LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE Case Numbers: COMPANY, 1:04-CV-10648-DPW (Abarca Bostik Site) Plaintiff, 1:04-CV-10649-DPW (Alwell Asbestos)) 1:04-CV-10668-DPW v. (Maritime Asbestos) THE BLACK & DECKER 1:04-CV-10669-DPW CORPORATION, BLACK & DECKER) (Maritime Hearing Loss) INC., BLACK & DECKER (U.S.) 1:04-CV-10676-DPW INC., EMHART CORPORATION, (Pennsylvania Benzene) and EMHART, INC.,) 1:04-CV-10665-DPW) (PAS Fulton)) 1:04-CV-10675-DPW Defendants.) (PAS Oswego) 1:04-CV-10670-DPW (Medway)

PLAINTIFF'S ASSENTED-TO MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE MEMORANDUM OF LAW IN EXCESS OF TWENTY PAGES

Pursuant to Local Rule 7.1(B)(4), plaintiff, Liberty Mutual Insurance

Company ("Liberty Mutual"), hereby moves this Court for an Order granting

Liberty Mutual leave to file Liberty Mutual's Memorandum Of Law In Support Of

Its Opposition to Black & Decker's Motions for an Award of Prejudgment Interest

and Attorneys' Fees With Respect To The Abarca Bostik, Alwell Asbestos, Maritime

Asbestos, Maritime Hearing Loss, Pennsylvania Benzene, PAS Fulton, PAS Oswego

and Medway sites, which exceeds twenty pages in length.

As grounds for the instant motion, Liberty Mutual states that a significant number of legal and factual issues must be addressed in the opposition

memorandum, which addresses both of Black & Decker's motions. Liberty Mutual respectfully submits that a memorandum of law exceeding twenty pages in length is necessary in order to provide a full explication of these issues to the Court. The Defendants have assented to this motion.

WHEREFORE, Liberty Mutual respectfully requests that this Court issue an Order granting Liberty Mutual leave to file its Memorandum Of Law In Opposition to Black & Decker's Motions for an Award of Prejudgment Interest and for Attorneys' Fees With Respect To The Five Long-Term Exposure Claims and the PAS Fulton, PAS Oswego, and Medway Sites in a form exceeding twenty pages in length.

LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

By its attorneys,

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Dated: November 16, 2004

LOCAL RULE 7.1(A)(2) CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I conferred with counsel for defendants, Richard Binder, on November 16, 2004, and Mr. Binder assented to the filing of this motion.

> /s/ Janice Kellev Rowan Janice Kelley Rowan

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 16^{th} day of November, 2004, I caused a copy of the foregoing motion to be served by hand upon counsel for defendants, Jack R. Pirozzolo, at Willcox, Pirozzolo and McCarthy, P.C., 50 Federal Street, Boston, MA 02110.

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